

Double Meaning Makeover Answer Key

Sample Responses

1. The baseball player swung his **bat** and hit a home run.
2. Let's **watch** the sunset together.
3. The boss said he would **dock** my pay for being late.
4. I saw a **tear** roll down her cheek.
5. She took a **bow** after her beautiful performance.
6. The brothers had a noisy **row** about who would clean up.
7. We live **close** to the beach.
8. Let's have a picnic in the **park**.
9. My backpack felt **light** after I took out the books.
10. I'll **wave** to you when the bus passes.

Teacher's Guide

Differentiation Tips:

- **Grades 1-3:** Model two sample sentences together before independent practice.
- **Grades 4-6:** Encourage students to add illustrations showing both meanings of a homograph.
- **Grades 7-12:** Challenge students to use each homograph in a **short paragraph** that shifts context.

Engagement Ideas:

- Play a "**Homograph Switch-Up**" game where students swap sentences and guess the second meaning.
- Let students **act out** each homograph to show its double meaning through movement or expression.

Extension Activities:

- Have students create a **mini comic strip** using three homographs in different meanings.
- Encourage them to find **homographs in songs, stories, or advertisements** and explain both meanings in context.